

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief



Sunday, January 7th 2018
As of 0900 CST

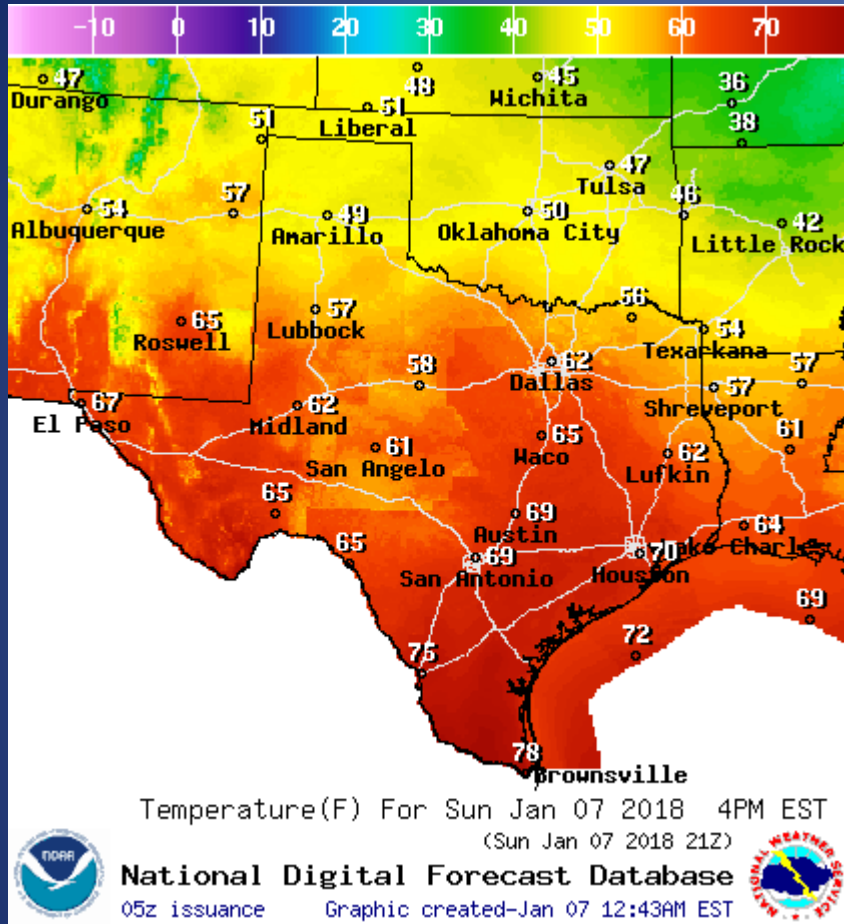
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
01/06/18	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.5)	Wilson County	Y
01/07/18	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.2)	Atascosa County	Y

Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
01/06/18	FEMA Region 6 RRCC Daily Situational Awareness Report
01/07/18	NWS Houston/Galveston - Thunderstorm Potential Tonight
01/07/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Sunday, January 7, 2018 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

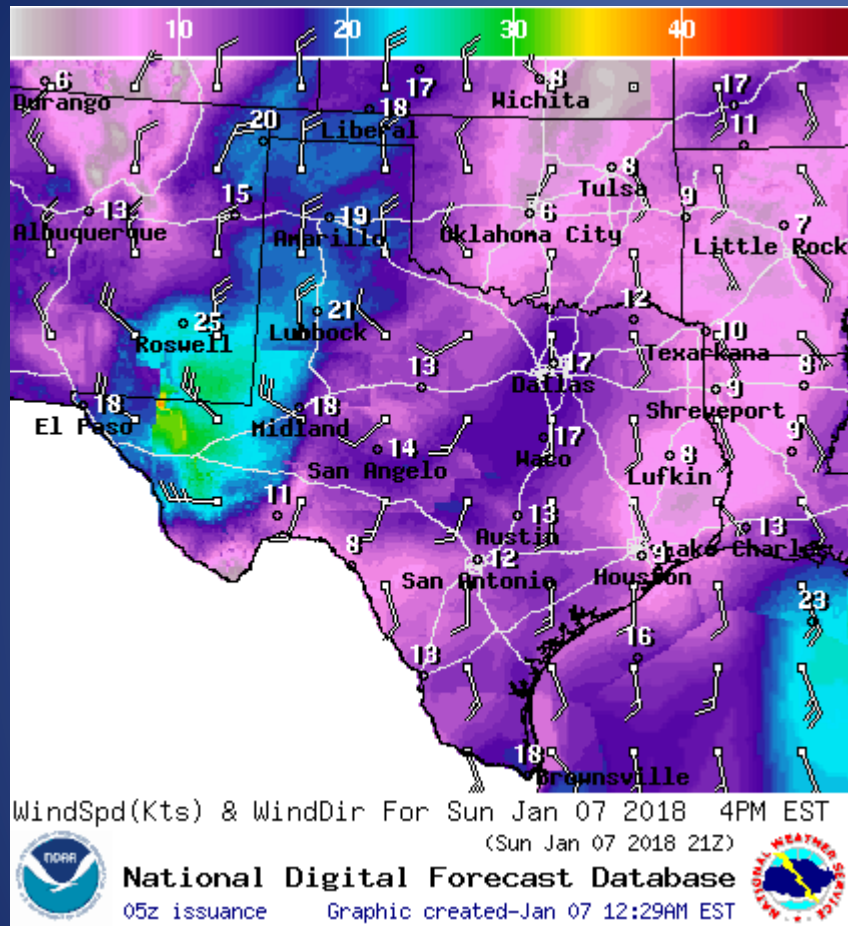


Highs

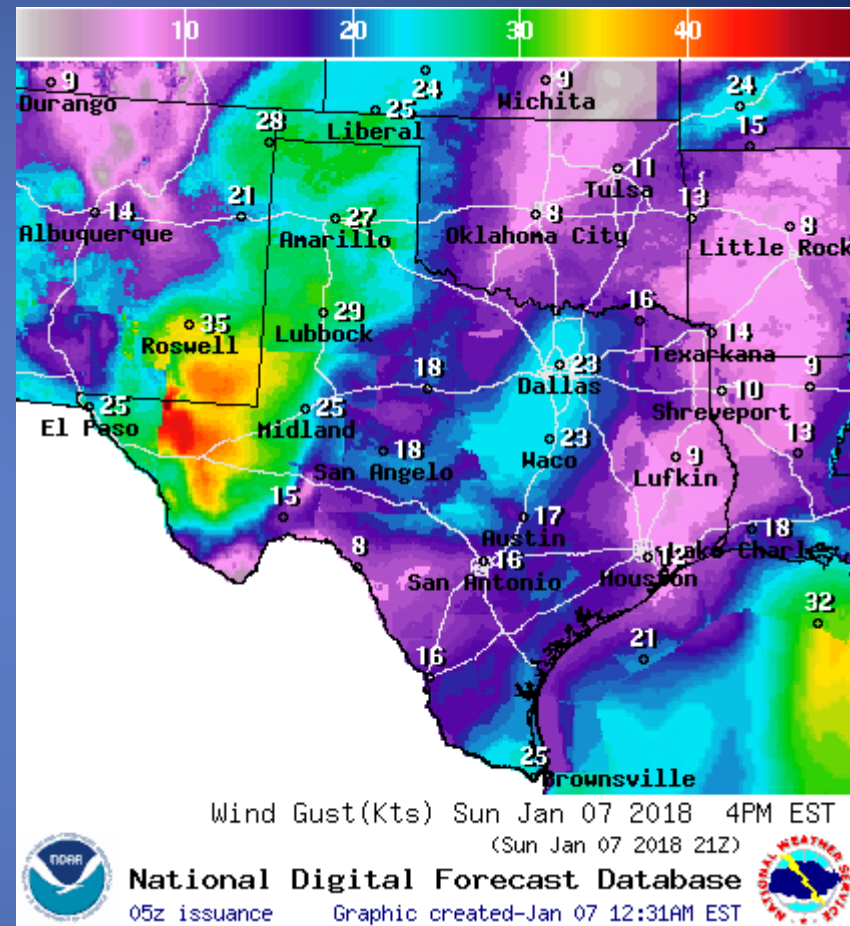


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Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather



Hazardous Weather

High Wind Warning

10 AM to 4 PM MST

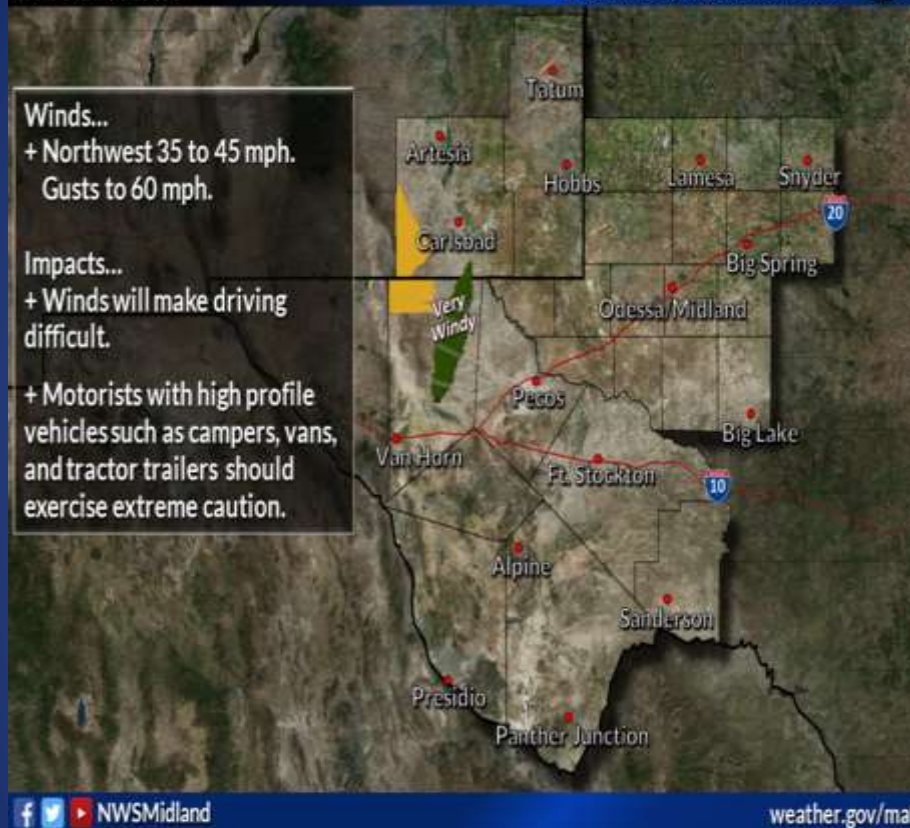
Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued January 7, 2018 3:06 AM CT



Winds...
+ Northwest 35 to 45 mph.
Gusts to 60 mph.

Impacts...
+ Winds will make driving difficult.

+ Motorists with high profile vehicles such as campers, vans, and tractor trailers should exercise extreme caution.

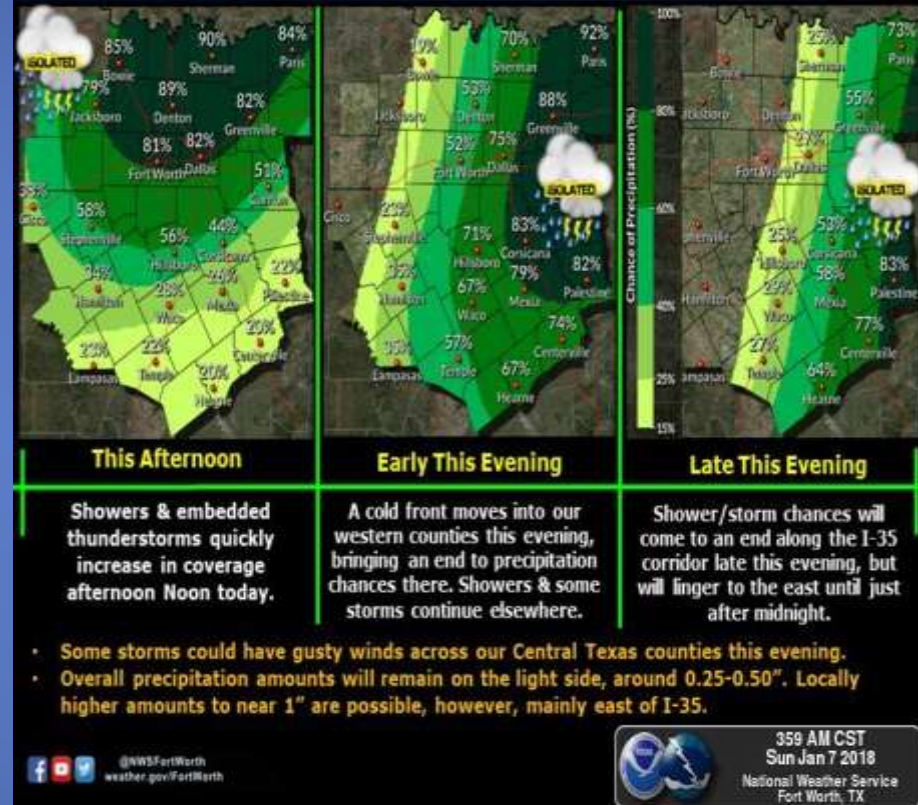


High Wind Warning in effect from 10 AM to 4 PM MST for the Guadalupe Mountains.



Quick shower and thunderstorm potential today-tonight

National Weather Service Fort Worth

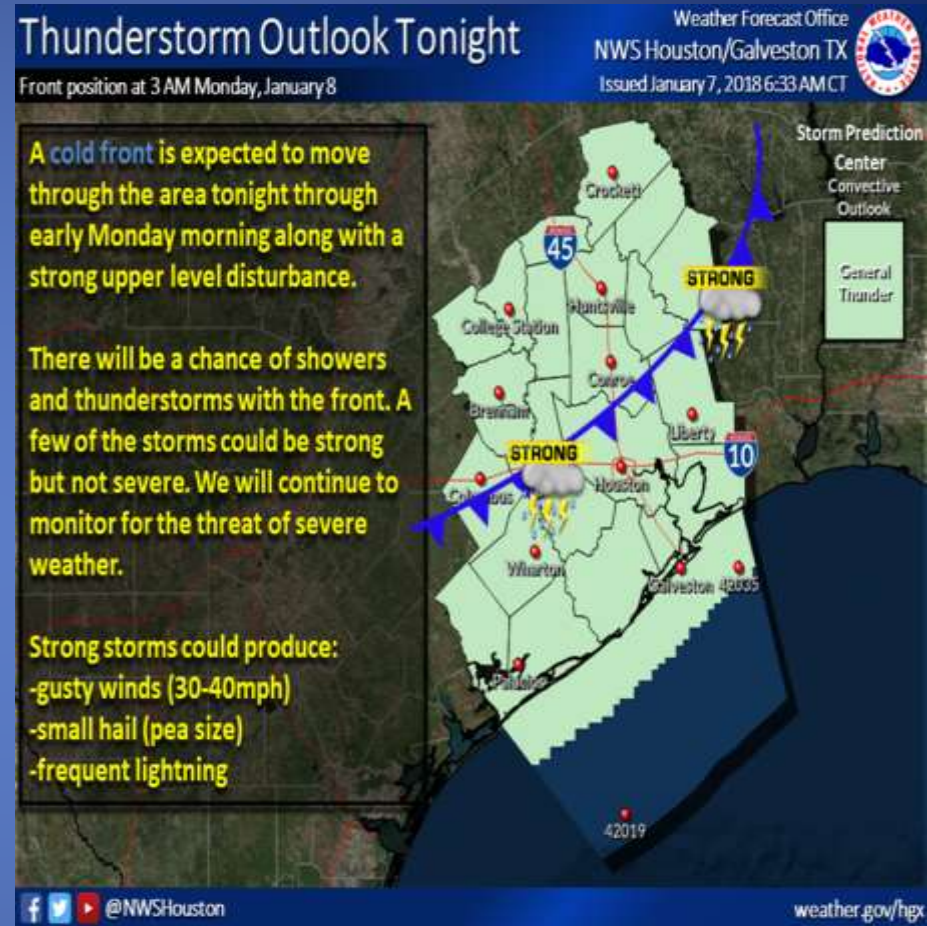


A fast-moving disturbance will bring shower and embedded thunderstorm chances to the region this afternoon and evening. Severe weather is not expected, but some storms across Central Texas could contain some gustier winds this evening. Precipitation will quickly come to an end from west-to-east late this evening and overnight.

Hazardous Weather



Chances for rain will gradually increase during the day and should become widespread by this evening and tonight. A couple of severe storms with a very isolated risk for tornadoes cannot be completely ruled out, especially late this afternoon into tonight.

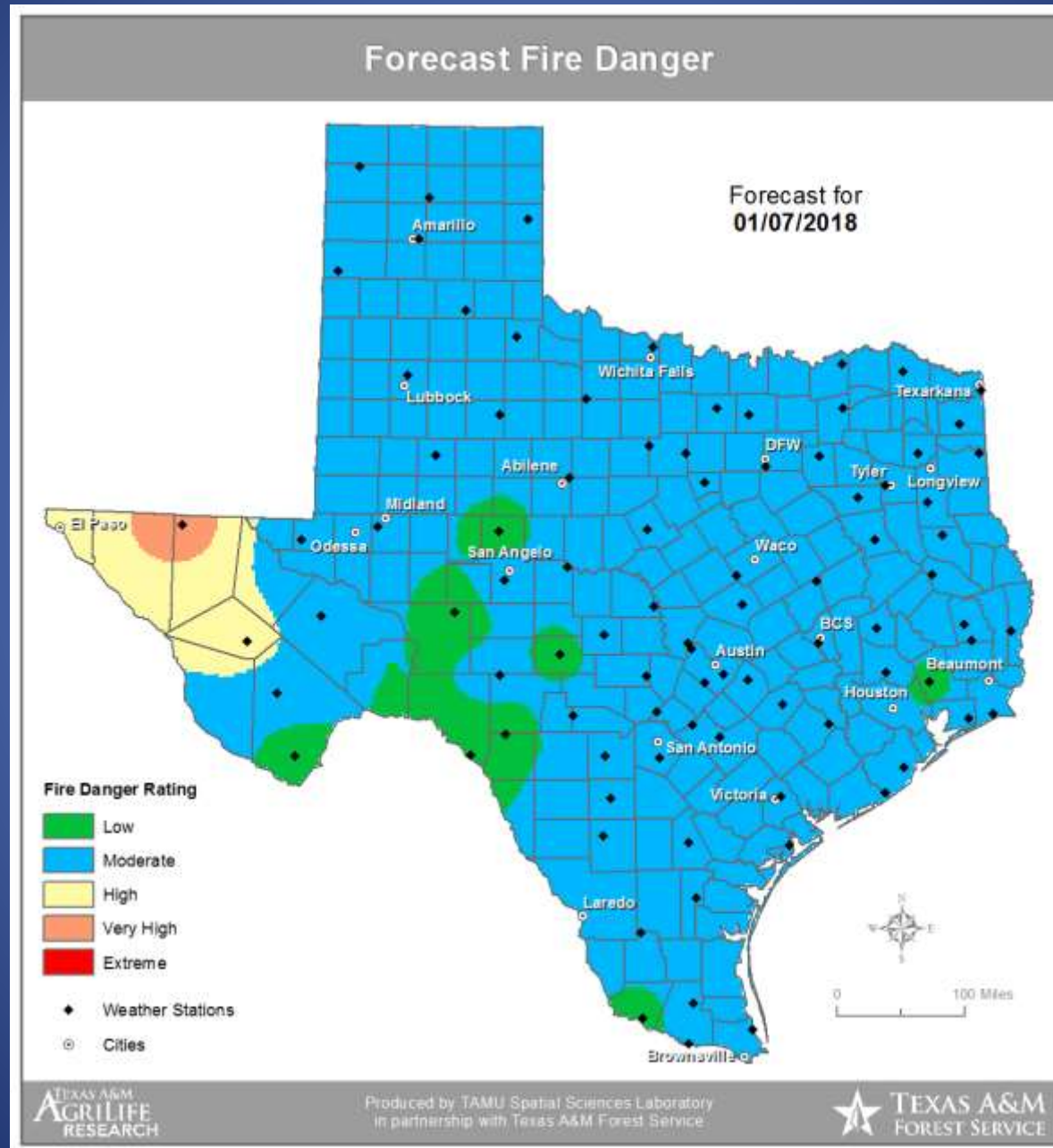


A line of storms may push through the area with a few strong storms tonight.

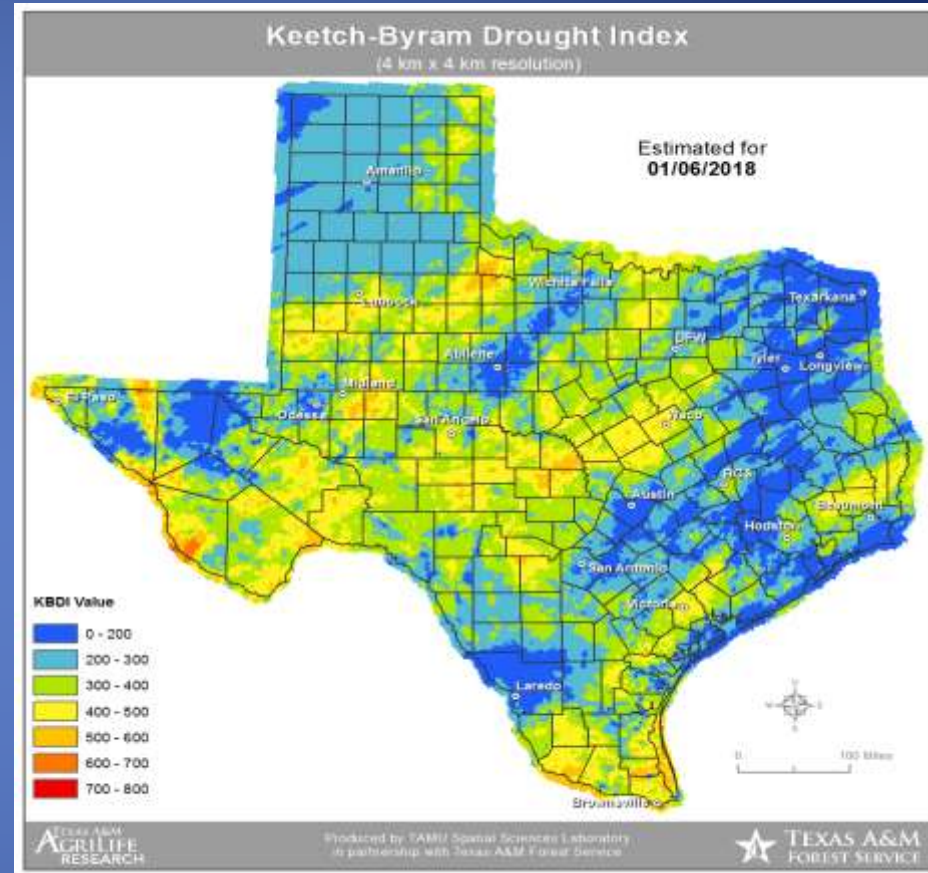
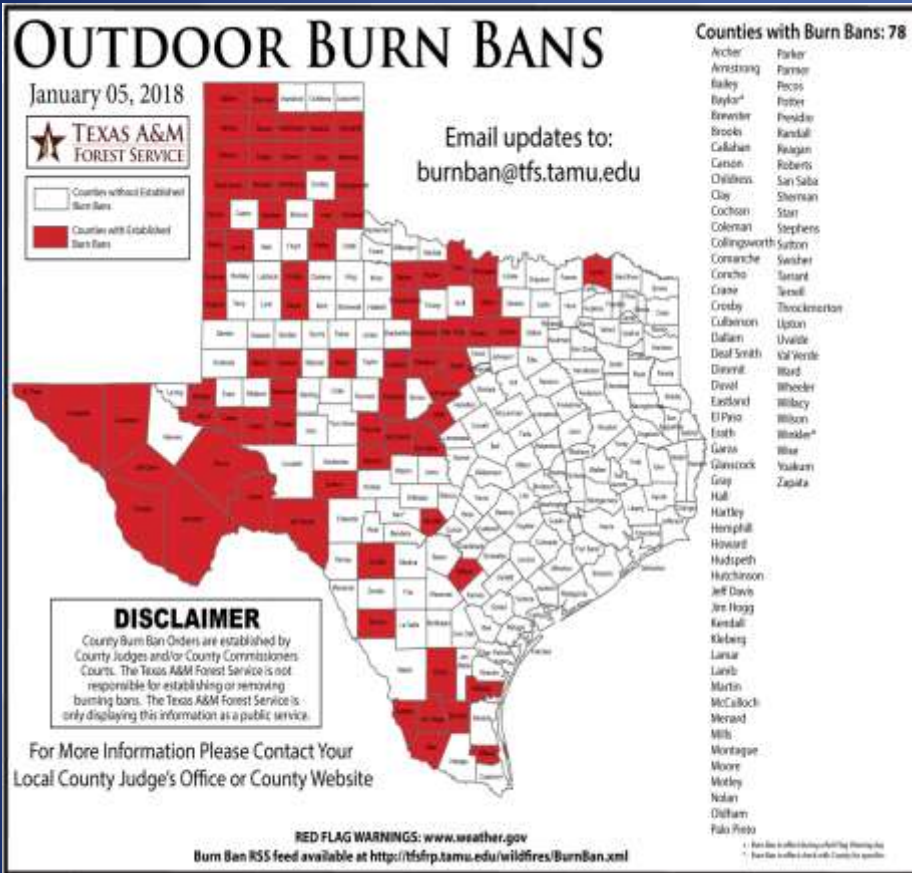
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
01/07/18	High Wind Warning	Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, and Terrell Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

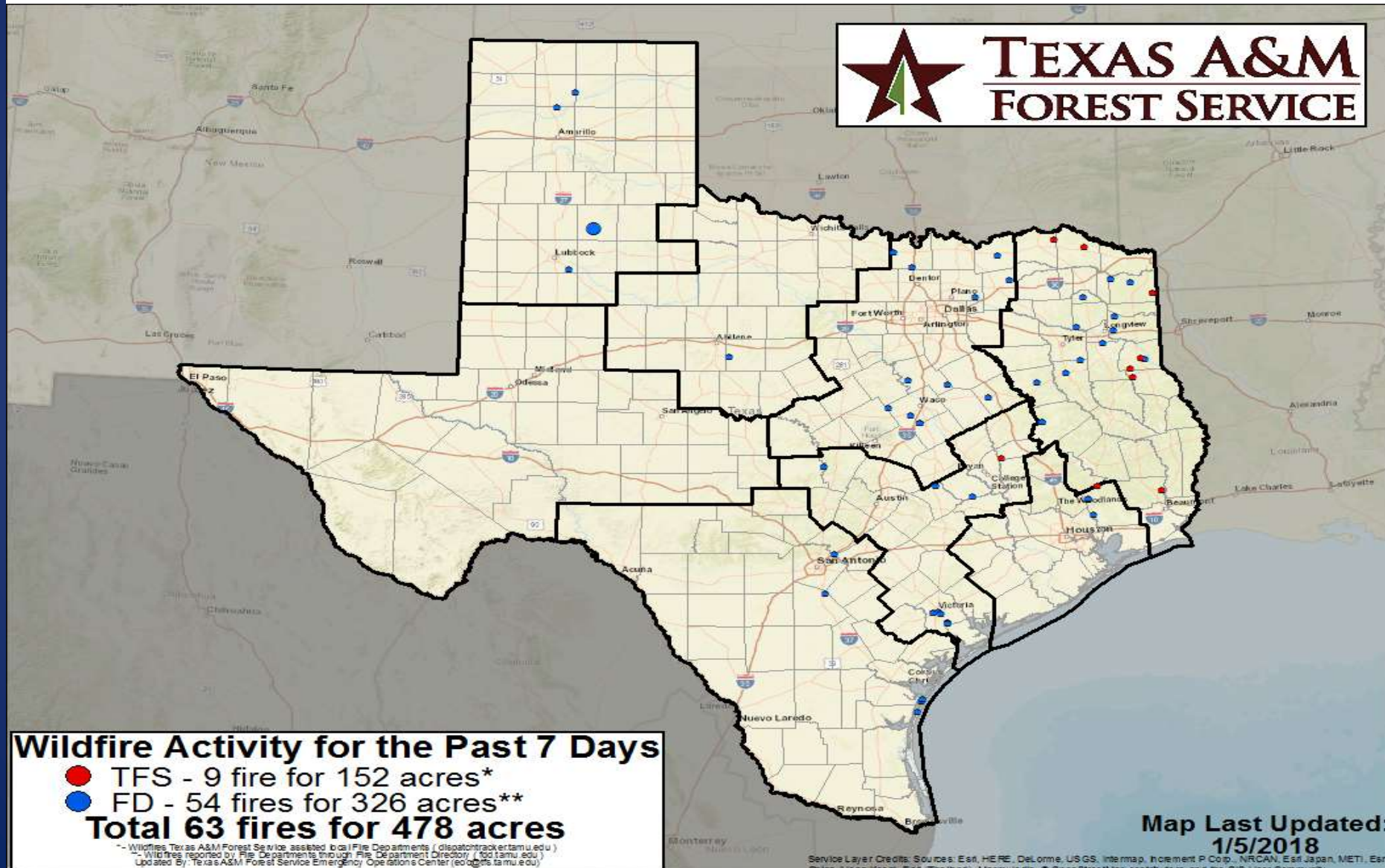


Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX



Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 7 (no change) fires and 138 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 78 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 32 (+2) counties with an average over 400.



Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
01/01/18	01/28/18	United States Coast Guard Sector Houston-Galveston/Houston	CPOD 2018 Central Point Dispensing Tabletop Exercise
01/08/18	01/12/18	TXDPS-PSCS/Choke Canyon	Comm Emergency Ops – Gold Team; Flood Exercise